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For:	METHOD AND DEVICES FOR HEART TREATMENT	Attorney Docket No:	10177-247-999

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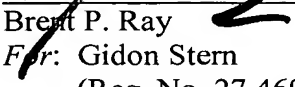
Sir:

Pursuant to a Notice to File Corrected Application Papers issued on June 23, 2004 in connection with the above-referenced application, Applicants now submit a Preliminary Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115. Applicants also submit a copy of the original Notice.

It is believed that no fee is required for this Response. If any fees are due, Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Jones Day Deposit Account 503013.

Respectfully submitted,

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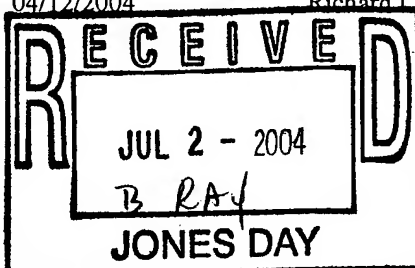


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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS
Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract of the technical disclosure not exceeding 150 words in length and commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b) is required. An abstract was not provided for this application.

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